

January 13, 2004

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch
Office of the Secretary
Federal Communications Commission

Dear Ms. Dortch,

In light of the upcoming "localism in broadcasting" hearing to be held in San Antonio on January 28, 2004, and on behalf of the Board of Directors of the San Antonio Children's Museum, I would like to express our gratitude to the management and employees of San Antonio's local Clear Channel radio and television stations.

We have worked with Clear Channel for many years and they have always displayed a deep commitment to the people of San Antonio. Clear Channel Radio has promoted the Children's Museum for free since September 2002. They provided PSA's to promote our 7th Birthday Party, included a remote at the party, and brought their Mix 96.1 Wrangler Costume Character to add to the fun. They have supported the Museum with ticket and membership giveaways and provided PSA's to promote our 7th annual Kids Gingerbread event in 2002. WOAI-TV weatherman, Maclovio Perez, served as a judge at our 2002 Glorious Gingerbread event and Tanji Patton took on the role at our 2003 Glorious Gingerbread. Without the help of these Clear Channel stations, the San Antonio Children's Museum would not have the kind of community exposure so valuable to a non-profit organization. With their help, our visitor numbers have climbed and we have been able to provide a fun and exciting place for our community's children to learn through creative play.

During this upcoming hearing, Clear Channel radio and television should be recognized for offering San Antonio top quality programming, entertainment and news, but also for their dedication to our local community.

Sincerely,

Christine Sinick
Executive Director